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HOME PLANTING



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MANHEIM, PA.

LANCASTER COUNTY

LANDSCAPE PLANNING AND PLANTING

BEAUTIFUL HOME GROUNDS

Thirty-one committees, appointed by the President, were busy during 1931 gathering data and information on "Home Building and Home Ownership." A joint conference was held in Washington, D. C., early in December.

One of these committees, consisting of thirty-four members, was sent out to obtain information on "Landscape Planning and Planting." This committee emphasized the effectiveness of proper landscaping in increasing economic value and beauty of residential property, and declared that it is an "actual extravagance" not to plant the home grounds. It also brought out the fact that real estate men realize the additional sales value of landscape planting.

One of the main points brought out was that the home grounds should be planted, and planted intelligently.

Our Landscape Department will be glad to go over your problems with you, draw up plans and make suggestions. There is no extra charge for this service. Whether your home be modest or quite costly, you need the added value and joy that only well-designed planting can give.

ROOT'S NURSERIES, Inc.

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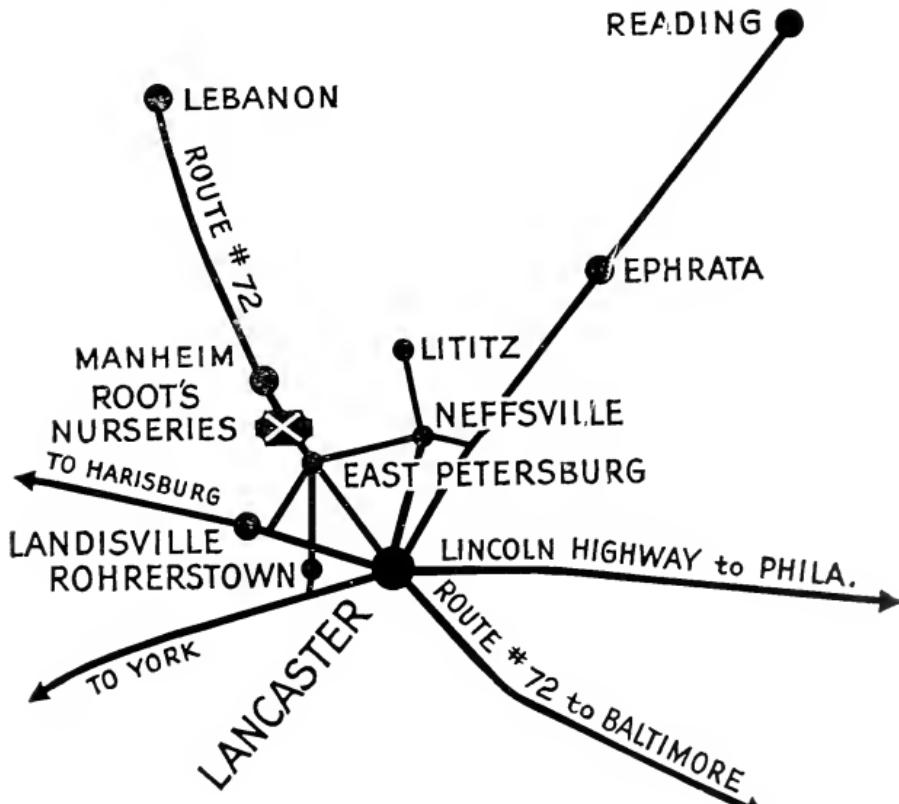


Entrance to our office and display grounds.

AN INVITATION TO VISIT OUR NURSERIES

We invite everyone interested in trees and plants to visit our Nurseries, which are conveniently located on Route 72, or the Lancaster-Manheim-Lebanon Highway, which passes through our Nurseries.

Whether you are traveling South from Manheim or North from East Petersburg on this road, you cannot miss our signs placed on the side to the East. After you see one of these signs you will be directed by other signs to the office and display grounds.



If you are not acquainted with the location of our Nurseries, a little study of the above map will help you to get to us very easily. There will be someone in attendance during daylight hours on week days.

No business transacted on Sundays.

EVERGREENS



One of our Highway Signs

These Evergreens have been transplanted frequently. Each time they have been given ample room for proper growth and are sheared each season into a symmetrical shape. They are freshly dug in the nursery for your individual order, balled and burlapped.

Most of the following varieties (including Mugho Pine) may be trimmed and used for Foundation planting, etc. However, the Abies or Firs, the Piceas or Spruces, and the Pinus or Pines grow large and should be used for specimens, screens or for massing where there is plenty of room for them to develop.

ABIES—FIR

Abies concolor, 70'-80' **WHITE FIR**
Grows quickly and forms symmetrical, beautiful specimen.
Large, gray-green needles.

| | Each |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| 18 to 24 in. | \$3.50 |
| 2 to 3 ft. | 6.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | 9.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft. | 12.00 |
| <i>Abies balsamea</i> , 60'-70' | BALSAM FIR |
| 15 to 18 in. | \$2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in. | 2.50 |

CHAMAECYPARIS—RETINOSPORA

Chamaecyparis obtusa compacta, 2½'-4' **FOOTBALL CYPRESS**
Almost spherical in shape. Good green throughout winter.
Very useful in foundation or formal work.

| | Each |
|---|--------|
| 15 to 18 in. | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in. | 2.00 |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera</i> , 25'-35' SAWARA RETINOSPORA | |
| Quick grower. Loosely pyramidal. | |
| 18 to 24 in. | \$1.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft. | 2.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft. | 3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | 4.00 |

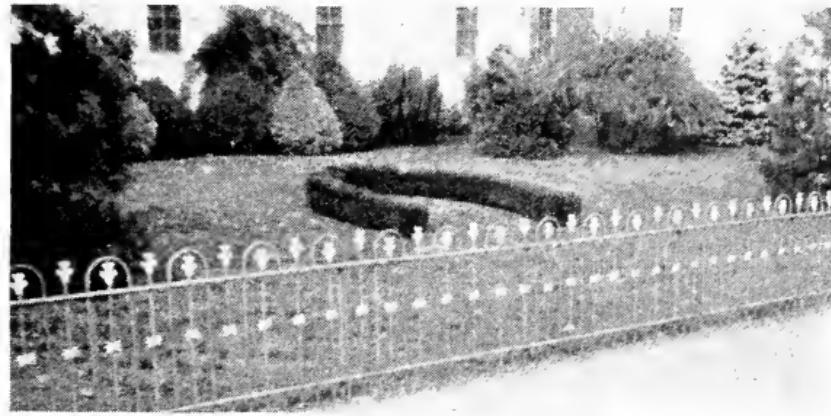


Evergreens For The Small Place, by F. F. Rockwell. All the information you need to make the best use of evergreens is in this handy book, written by one who is himself a home owner and a garden maker. It tells the uses, characteristics, and types of small or dwarf evergreens, and details of their planting, transplanting, and general care. 67 illustrations, 84 pages....\$1.00

Figures at right of scientific name denote ultimate height.

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| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera aurea</i> , 25'-35' | GOLDEN SAWARA RETINOSPORA | |
| Foliage bright yellow, especially in spring. | Each | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$1.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.00 | |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 3.00 | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 4.00 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera filifera</i> , 15'-20' | THREAD RETINOSPORA | |
| Has long, stringy, drooping branches and bright green foliage. Graceful and decorative. | | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.00 | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera filifera aurea</i> , 10'-12' | GOLDEN THREAD RETINOSPORA | |
| Very bright, conspicuous, golden yellow. Grows more slowly than preceding. | | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.00 | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 3.00 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera plumosa</i> , 25'-35' | PLUME RETINOSPORA | |
| Forms a dense cone of fine texture. Useful for shearing into formal shapes. | | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.00 | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.00 | |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 3.00 | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 4.50 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera plumosa aurea</i> , 20'-25' | GOLDENPLUME RETINOSPORA | |
| Golden form of preceding, and grows more slowly. | | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.00 | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.25 | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.00 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera plumosa lutescens</i> , 2½'-3' | DWARF YELLOW PLUME RETINOSPORA | |
| Forms a low, broad, round-topped bush; bright yellow tipped branchlets. | | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$1.00 | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.25 | |
| <i>Chamaecyparis pisifera squarrosa</i> , 25'-30' | MOSS RETINOSPORA | |
| Foliage blue-gray, feathery and dense, giving soft wooly appearance. Broad pyramidal outline when young. | | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$.75 | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.00 | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.25 | |



One of our plantings on the grounds of the Leber Sales & Exchange Stable, Ephrata, Pa.

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JUNIPERUS—JUNIPER

Juniperus chinensis, 15'-20'

CHINESE JUNIPER

A very hardy, bushy and pyramidal growing variety. Bears small berries of violet-brown color when ripe. Each
3 to 4 ft.....\$6.00

Juniperus chinensis albo variegata, 6'-7'

WHITELEAF CHINESE JUNIPER

Light bluish foliage intermingled with cream colored branches making a very distinctive plant of formal pyramidal shape.

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| 15 to 18 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 3.00 |

Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis, 15'-20'

COLUMN CHINESE JUNIPER

Grows rapidly, forming tall narrow column of gray-green foliage. Spire-like effect. Very useful in evergreen planting. 3 to 4 ft.....\$7.00

Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana, 5'-6' **PFITZER JUNIPER**

Broad, bushy habit. Gray-green foliage, giving feathery appearance. A most adaptable hardy evergreen; highly recommended.

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| Each | |
| 12 to 18 in. spread..... | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in. spread..... | 2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft. spread..... | 3.75 |
| 2½ to 3 ft. spread..... | 5.00 |
| 3 to 3½ ft. spread..... | 6.00 |
| 3½ to 4 ft. spread..... | 7.00 |

Juniperus chinensis sargentii, 1½' **SARGENT JUNIPER**

Prostrate habit, grass-green foliage. A valuable ground cover and rock plant.

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| 15 to 18 in. spread..... | \$4.00 |
| 18 to 24 in. spread..... | 5.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft. spread..... | 6.00 |



The joy of planting may be yours whether you live in cottage or mansion.

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| <i>Juniperus communis aurea</i> , 1'-1½' | GOLDEN JUNIPER |
| Low spreading habit. Golden foliage, particularly bright in spring. | Each |
| 18 to 24 in. spread..... | \$2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft. spread..... | 3.50 |
| <i>Juniperus communis canadensis</i> , 2½'-3' | CANADA JUNIPER |
| Forms a low vase-shaped bush. Leaves dark green above. Bluish underneath. | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | \$2.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 3.50 |
| <i>Juniperus communis depressa plumosa</i> , 1'-1½' | |
| | ANDORRA SPREADING JUNIPER |
| Invaluable in fall and winter when foliage is tinged with rich purple. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$2.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 3.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 4.00 |
| <i>Juniperus communis suecica</i> , 4'-5' | SWEDISH JUNIPER |
| A narrow, compact column. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |
| <i>Juniperus excelsa stricta</i> , 4'-5' | SPINY GREEK JUNIPER |
| Compact, well-shaped pyramid. Foliage gray-green. Most useful for formal effects. | |
| 10 to 12 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 2.00 |
| 18 to 21 in..... | 3.00 |
| 21 to 24 in..... | 4.00 |
| <i>Juniperus horizontalis</i> , 1'-1½' | CREEPING JUNIPER |
| Branches trail along ground. Adapted to rock-work and ground covering. | |
| 9 to 12 in. spread..... | \$0.75 |
| 18 to 24 in. spread..... | 2.50 |
| <i>Juniperus horizontalis douglasii</i> , 1'-1½' | |
| | WAUKEGAN JUNIPER |
| Long branches trailing along ground. Steely-blue foliage. A splendid ground cover; also effective among rock. Distinct purple hue in winter. | |
| Each | |
| 2 to 3 ft. spread..... | \$4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. spread..... | 5.00 |
| <i>Juniperus japonica</i> , 3'-4' | JAPANESE JUNIPER |
| Low grower, spreading branches, dark green, scaly leaves. Adapted to rock planting. Grows slowly. | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | \$4.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 5.00 |
| <i>Juniperus sabina</i> , 6'-7' | SAVIN JUNIPER |
| Dense, dark green foliage. Spreading branches, forming irregular vase-shaped bush. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.25 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 4.50 |
| <i>Juniperus squamata meyeri</i> , 3'-4' | MEYER JUNIPER |
| A beautiful deep blue evergreen of dwarf habit, very desirable. | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 3.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 4.50 |
| <i>Juniperus virginiana glauca</i> , 15'-20' | SILVER REDCEDAR |
| Bluish-gray foliage. Distinct. | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | \$4.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 3 to 3½ ft..... | 6.50 |
| 3½ to 4 ft..... | 7.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 8.50 |

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PICEA—SPRUCE

Picea canadensis albertiana, 25'-40' **BLACKHILLS SPRUCE**

Hardy, compact and bushy growth. Foliage green to bluish tint, bright color.

| | Each |
|------------------|--------|
| 12 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |

Picea excelsa, 80'-100'

NORWAY SPRUCE

Has dark green foliage and grows rapidly. Makes a good windbreak, and also lends itself well to trimmed hedges.

| | Each |
|------------------|--------|
| 12 to 18 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 1.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 2.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 3.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 4.50 |



UNSIGHTLY VIEWS



SCREENED WITH PLANTING

Picea pungens glauca, 60'-80' **BLUE COLORADO SPRUCE**

Branches in distinct whorls, forming handsome lawn specimen.

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|------------------|--------|
| 12 to 18 in..... | \$4.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 6.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 8.00 |

Picea pungens kosteri

KOSTER BLUE SPRUCE

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|------------------|--------|
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$5.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 6.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 10.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 15.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 20.00 |
| 3 to 3½ ft..... | 25.00 |
| 3½ to 4 ft..... | 30.00 |

PINUS—PINE

Pinus montana mughus, 2½'-3'

MUGHO PINE

Forms a round-topped clump. Useful for rock planting and foundation work.

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| 9 to 12 in. spread..... | \$1.25 |
| 12 to 15 in. spread..... | 1.75 |
| 15 to 18 in. spread..... | 2.50 |
| 18 to 24 in. spread..... | 4.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft. spread..... | 6.00 |

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| <i>Pinus nigra</i> , 60'-70' | AUSTRIAN PINE |
| Rich, dark green. Vigorous, dense grower. Good for background. | Each |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 7.50 |

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| <i>Pinus strobus</i> , 80'-100' | WHITE PINE |
| Probably our most adaptable and useful pine. Very picturesque when old. | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | Each |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | \$2.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 3.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 5.00 |

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| <i>Pinus sylvestris</i> , 25'-30' | SCOTCH PINE |
| A rapid-growing, handsome tree, especially when young. Good for windbreaks. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 2.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 3.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 7.00 |
| 7 to 8 ft..... | 10.00 |

PSEUDOTSUGA—FIR

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| <i>Pseudotsuga douglasii</i> , 70'-80' | DOUGLAS-FIR |
| Very hardy; dark bluish-green coloring. Prefers well-drained situation. | |
| 12 to 18 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 5.00 |

TAXUS—YEW

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| <i>Taxus baccata repandens</i> , 18"-24" | SPREADING ENGLISH YEW |
| Spreading, horizontal branches, dark blue-green leaves. Valuable for low planting. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 3.00 |

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| <i>Taxus cuspidata</i> , 4'-5' | SPREADING JAPANESE YEW |
| Rich, deep green leaves. Spreading, bushy habit. Valuable in foundation plantings. Exceptionally hardy | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 3.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 4.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 6.50 |

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| <i>Taxus cuspidata capitata</i> , 5'-10' | UPRIGHT JAPANESE YEW |
| The upright type of Spreading Japanese Yew. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 4.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 5.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 6.00 |

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| <i>Taxus cuspidata nana</i> , 2'-3' | DWARF JAPANESE YEW |
| Broad, thick leaves, blackish green. Slow growing and irregular, spreading habit. Exceptionally hardy. | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 3.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 5.00 |

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THUJA—ARBORVITAE

Thuja occidentalis, 15'-30' AMERICAN ARBORVITAE
Slender pyramid with broad base. Bronzy winter coloring.
Good accent plant or for a hedge. Each

| | |
|------------------|--------|
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | 1.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 2.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 4.00 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 6.00 |

Thuja occidentalis compacta, 2½'-4'

PARSONS ARBORVITAE

Almost globe-shaped. Bright green. Useful in formal or foundation planting.

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|------------------|--------|
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |

Thuja occidentalis elegantissima, 10'-15'

GOLDENTIPPED ARBORVITAE

Branches tipped with yellow. Rich, lustrous green.

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| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |

Thuja occidentalis globosa, 2½'-3'

AMERICAN GLOBE ARBORVITAE

Useful in formal work. Naturally globe-shaped.

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| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |



American Globe Arborvitae.

Thuja occidentalis lutea, 10'-15'

GEORGE PEABODY ARBORVITAE

Conspicuous golden yellow form. Columnar outline.

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|------------------|--------|
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.50 |

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Thuja occidentalis plicata, 10'-20' **MOSS ARBORVITAE**
Rich, deep blue-green foliage. Short, stiff branchlets give
pleasing effect in light and shade. Formal pyramid.

| | Each |
|-----------------|--------|
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | \$1.75 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 2.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 3.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 6.00 |

Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis, 15'-30'

PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE

Retains bright green coloring throughout winter. Narrow
columnar shape; splendid for accents or formal planting.

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| 12 to 18 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 1.50 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 2.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 3.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 6.50 |



Partial view over one of our Evergreen Blocks.

Thuja occidentalis rosenthali, 6'-10'

ROSENTHAL ARBORVITAE

Dense, rugged columnar form. Slow grower.

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| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |

Thuja occidentalis umbraculifera, 2'-3'

UMBRELLA ARBORVITAE

Particularly good low mushroom-shaped form with rich
green foliage.

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| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |

Thuja occidentalis wareana, 12'-15' **WARE ARBORVITAE**

Light green, fleshy foliage. Broadly pyramidal, rugged in
appearance.

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| 12 to 15 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 1.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 2.00 |

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Thuja orientalis aurea nana, 2½'-3'

BERCKMAN'S GOLDEN ARBORVITAE

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| A gem for dwarf planting; compact, roundish shape, warm golden yellow foliage. Especially good for formal work and edging. | Each |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$1.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 2.00 |

Thuja orientalis aurea conspicua, 7'-8'

GOLDSPIRE ARBORVITAE

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| Golden yellow in spring, bronze-yellow in winter. Distinctive. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.50 |

Thuja orientalis elegantissima, 7'-8'

YELLOW COLUMN ARBORVITAE

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| Assumes a rich, deep golden-bronze color in winter. Compact, columnar. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$4.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 6.00 |

TSUGA—HEMLOCK

Tsuga canadensis, 75'-90'

CANADA HEMLOCK

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| Most graceful and adaptable, the spreading horizontal branches making effective shadow effects. Does well in shady or sunny locations. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.00 |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | 4.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 6.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 8.50 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 10.00 |

BROAD LEAF EVERGREENS

ABELIA

Abelia grandiflora, 3'-4'

GLOSSY ABELIA

Choice small shrub, with white tinted lilac flowers, produced throughout the entire summer months.

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| 15 to 18 in..... | \$0.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | .60 |

AZALEA

Azalea amoena, 3'-4'

AMOENA AZALEA

Conspicuous purple-red flowers, April-May. Leaves turn a rich, bronze-green in winter.

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| Each |
| 10 to 12 in..... |
| 12 to 15 in..... |

Azalea hinodegiri, 3'-4'

HINODEGIRI AZALEA

Larger leaves and looser growth than above; flowers very bright carmine-pink; effective in masses or with Rhododendron.

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| 10 to 12 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 2.50 |

Azalea macrantha, 2½'-3'

RED SALMON AZALEA

A beautiful plant, with large flowers that appear at intervals, and not at one time like the preceding. Single and double varieties.

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| 10 to 12 in..... | \$2.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 2.50 |

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BERBERIS—BARBERRY

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| <i>Berberis ilicifolia</i> , 5'-6' | HOLLY BARBERRY |
| Holly-like leaves, persisting until new foliage appears; flowers yellow. Semi-evergreen. | Each |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |
| <i>Berberis julianae</i> , 4'-5' | WINTERGREEN BARBERRY |
| Beautiful hardy variety, of compact growth, with nice glossy green foliage throughout the winter. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$2.00 |



Moving of large Boxwood without injury to the plant.

BUXUS—BOXWOOD

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| <i>Buxus sempervirens</i> (bush form), 12'-15' | BOXWOOD | |
| Useful for formal hedges. Specially desired for planting as individual specimens on lawns or in tubs. | | |
| Each | Per 10 Per 100 | |
| 8 to 10 in..... | \$0.50 | \$4.00 |
| 10 to 12 in..... | .75 | 6.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | 1.25 | 10.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 1.50 | 12.50 |
| 18 to 21 in..... | 2.50 | 22.50 |

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| <i>Buxus sempervirens suffruticosa</i> , 3'-4' | TRUE DWARF BOX | | |
| A very low growing variety, used for window boxes and edgings around beds of shrubbery or along walks, etc. | | | |
| 3 to 4 in..... | \$0.20 | \$1.50 | \$10.00 |
| 4 to 6 in..... | .25 | 2.00 | 15.00 |
| 6 to 8 in..... | .50 | 4.00 | 35.00 |
| 8 to 10 in..... | 1.00 | 7.50 | |

COTONEASTER

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| <i>Cotoneaster horizontalis</i> , 1'-1½' | ROCK COTONEASTER |
| Small box-like leaves; bright red berries, effective among rocks. | |
| 6 to 9 in..... | \$0.75 |
| 9 to 12 in..... | 1.25 |

DAPHNE

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| <i>Daphne cneorum</i> , 1' | ROSE DAPHNE |
| Gray-green foliage, low spreading. Pretty pink flowers in April-May. Delightful fragrance. | |
| 10 to 12 in..... | \$1.75 |

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EUONYMUS

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| <i>Euonymus japonicus</i> , 5'-6' | EVERGREEN BURNINGBUSH |
| Lustrous, deep green leaves; upright bushy habit; needs winter protection here. | Each Per 10 Per 100 |
| 12 to 18 in..... | \$1.00 |

Euonymus radicans vegetus, 3'-4'

BIGLEAF WINTERCREEPER

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| Bushy, interesting growth. Leaves round, dull green. Bright scarlet fruits, freely produced. Handsome among evergreens. Also called Evergreen Bittersweet. | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.40 \$3.50 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | .50 4.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | .60 5.00 |

ILEX—HOLLY

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| <i>Ilex crenata</i> , 8'-10' | JAPANESE HOLLY |
| Box-like leaves, rich, deep green, and leathery. Stiff branching, makes a good hedge. Black berries. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$2.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 3.50 |

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| <i>Ilex crenata microphylla</i> , 6'-8' | LITTLE JAPANESE HOLLY |
| Smaller leaves and more hardy than preceding. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$3.50 |

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| <i>Ilex glabra</i> , 5'-6' | INKBERRY |
| Shining, dark green leaves, purplish in winter; black berries. Useful for shady spots, also succeeds in sun. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$2.50 |

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| <i>Ilex opaca</i> | AMERICAN HOLLY |
| Does best in moist, partially shaded place. Rather difficult to transplant. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$4.00 |

KALMIA—LAUREL

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| <i>Kalmia latifolia</i> , 5'-7' | MOUNTAIN-LAUREL |
| Most effective in June when the clusters of pink flowers open. Good foliage; like shade. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | 2.00 |

LEUCOTHOE

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| <i>Leucothoe catesbaei</i> , 3'-4' | DROOPING LEUCOTHOE |
| Attractive white flowers, May. Handsome lustrous leaves, rich autumn coloring. Splendid for under planting in shade. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$1.75 |

MAHONIA—HOLLYGRAPE

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| <i>Mahonia aquifolium</i> , 4'-5' | OREGON HOLLYGRAPE |
| Shining green leaves, turn rich scarlet in autumn; striking in May when yellow flowers appear; blue-black fruits. Best in half shade. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.50 |

PACHYSANDRA—SPURGE

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| <i>Pachysandra terminalis</i> , 6"-8" | JAPANESE SPURGE |
| One of the best bedding plants for green effect in shady places. | |
| 4 to 6 in..... | \$1.25 \$10.00 |

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RHODODENDRON

Rhododendron maximum, 8'-12'

ROSEBAY RHODODENDRON

Beautiful light pink flowers freely produced in May-June.
Large handsome foliage, most effective in masses.

| | Each | Per 10 |
|------------------|--------|--------|
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$2.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | 3.00 | |

Rhododendron Hybrid

HYBRID RHODODENDRON

Beautiful red or pink
15 to 18 in.....

\$6.00

VINCA—PERIWINKLE

Vinca minor

PERIWINKLE

Very good ground cover.

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| 3-in. pots..... | \$0.20 | \$1.50 |
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YUCCA—ADAM'S NEEDLE

Yucca filamentosa, 2'-3'

ADAM'S NEEDLE

Long lance-like leaves. Tall flower spike grows up quickly in June-July. Numerous creamy flowers and general appearance gives tropical effect. Useful for massing with either evergreens or shrubbery.

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| 3-yr. plants..... | \$0.30 | \$2.00 |
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ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

ACANTHOPanax—ARALIA

Acanthopanax pentaphyllum, 7'-8'

FIVE LEAF ARALIA

Graceful, arching habit; splendid for banks; very adaptable; good foliage for smoky exposures.

| | Each | Per 10 |
|----------------|--------|--------|
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 | \$3.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 | |



There is, combined with luxuriant foliage in summer and the flowers that can be had in succession by the proper choice of varieties all through the open months, the element of economy in flowering shrubs that appeals to many. Their cost is but from 10 to 15 cents per square foot of area in the foundation bed.

AZALEA

Azalea kaempferi, 4'-5'

TORCH AZALEA

Warm, brick-red flowers, May.

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| 15 to 18 in..... | \$3.50 |
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Azalea mollis, 4'-6'

CHINESE AZALEA

Large showy flowers in shades of orange and red. May-June.
Large hairy leaves. Likes sun.

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| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.00 |
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| 15 to 18 in..... | 2.50 |
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| <i>Azalea yodogawa</i> , 3'-4' | YODOGAWA AZALEA |
| Double pinkish-lavender flowers, May. Very hardy and of exceptional merit. | Each Per 10 Per 100 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.50 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | 3.00 |

BERBERIS—BARBERRY

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| <i>Berberis thunbergi</i> , 4'-5' | JAPANESE BARBERRY |
| A splendid low hedge plant, or for massing; brilliant autumn coloring: scarlet berries. | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.12 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | .15 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | .20 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | .25 |
| | \$1.00 |
| | 1.25 |
| | 1.50 |
| | 2.00 |
| | \$8.00 |
| | 10.00 |
| | 12.50 |
| | 15.00 |

Berberis thunbergi atropurpurea

RED-LEAVED JAPANESE BARBERRY

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| A very desirable new red leaved variety of the above. | |
| Should be planted in sun for best color. | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.25 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | .30 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | .40 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | .50 |
| | \$2.00 |
| | 2.50 |
| | 3.50 |
| | 4.50 |

BUDDLEIA—BUTTERFLY BUSH

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| <i>Buddleia davidi magnifica</i> , 5'-6' | BUTTERFLY BUSH |
| Very effective with gray-green foliage and deep lilac flowers; likes sun. June, September. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.35 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .45 |
| | \$3.00 |
| | 4.00 |

CALLICARPA—BEAUTYBERRY

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| <i>Callicarpa purpurea</i> , 3'-4' | CHINESE BEAUTYBERRY |
| Lilac-violet berries, especially attractive in August. Graceful habit. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$0.25 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | .35 |

CALYCANTHUS—SWEETSHRUB

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| <i>Calycanthus floridus</i> , 4'-5' | SWEETSHRUB |
| Chocolate colored flowers, fragrant. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.40 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .50 |

CARYOPTERIS—BLUEBEARD

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| <i>Caryopteris incana</i> , 2'-3' | BLUEBEARD |
| Lavender-blue flowers, September-October. Splendid for massing. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$0.60 |
| | \$5.00 |

CEPHALANTHUS—BUTTONBUSH

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| <i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i> , 5'-6' | BUTTONBUSH |
| Round heads of creamy white flowers, July-Sept. Good foliage; likes moisture. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.40 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .50 |

CLETHRA—SUMMERSWEET

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| <i>Clethra alnifolia</i> , 4'-5' | SUMMERSWEET |
| Also called Sweet Pepper Bush. | |
| Spikes of very fragrant flowers, July-Sept. Prefers moist, shady places. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.60 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .75 |

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CORNUS—DOGWOOD

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| <i>Cornus stolonifera</i> , 7'-8' | RED-OSIER DOGWOOD |
| Spreading habit, dark red bark, white fruits. Does well in moisture. | Each Per 10 Per 100 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| <i>Cornus stolonifera lutea</i> , 6'-7' | GOLDENTWIG DOGWOOD |
| Has distinct yellow bark; fine for winter effects. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 4.00 |

CYDONIA—FLOWERING QUINCE

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| <i>Cydonia japonica</i> , 4'-5' | FLOWERING QUINCE |
| Scarlet flowers in April, May. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .50 4.00 |

DEUTZIA

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| <i>Deutzia gracilis</i> , 3' | SLENDER DEUTZIA |
| Profuse bloomer, pure white, May. Useful "facing" shrub. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$0.30 \$2.00 \$15.00 |
| 15 to 18 in..... | .40 3.00 20.00 |
| <i>Deutzia lemoinei</i> , 4'-5' | LEMOINE DEUTZIA |
| Large white flowers, graceful shrub, June. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$0.30 \$2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in..... | .40 3.00 |
| <i>Deutzia scabra crenata fl. pl.</i> , 6'-8' | DOUBLE PINK DEUTZIA |
| Pink, slightly fragrant, June. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| <i>Deutzia scabra pride of Rochester</i> , 9'-10' | LARGE FLOWERED DEUTZIA |
| Vigorous, large flower tinged pink, June. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$0.40 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | .50 |

EUONYMUS

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| <i>Euonymus alatus</i> , 9'-10' | WINGED EUONYMUS |
| Interesting corky bark, warm crimson autumn coloring. | |
| Makes fine specimen shrub. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.50 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .75 |

EXOCHORDA—PEARLBUSH

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| <i>Exochorda grandiflora</i> , 6'-9' | PEARLBUSH |
| Dazzling white flowers, May. Is improved by pruning. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 |

FORSYTHIA—(GOLDEN BELL)

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| <i>Forsythia suspensa fortunei</i> , 7'-8' | FORTUNE FORSYTHIA |
| Good habit, arching branches, vigorous grower. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | .60 5.00 |
| <i>Forsythia intermedia spectabilis</i> , 6'-8' | SHOWY BORDER FORSYTHIA |
| Most profuse of all, with rich golden yellow flowers. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.50 \$4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .60 5.00 |

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HIBISCUS—SHRUB-ALTHEA

Hibiscus syriacus, 10'-12'

SHRUB-ALTHEA

Also called Rose of Sharon. Rather formal in outline, flowering in August and September. Pink, purple, red, and white, single and double.

| | Each | Per 10 |
|----------------|--------|--------|
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 | \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 | 4.00 |

HYDRANGEA

Hydrangea arborescens grandiflora, 4'-5'

SNOWHILL HYDRANGEA

Large double white flower panicles, very showy. August.
18 to 24 in..... \$0.35 \$2.50
2 to 3 ft..... .40 3.00

Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora, 8'-9'

PEEGEE HYDRANGEA

Very showy, blooming in September.
18 to 24 in..... \$0.35 \$2.50
2 to 3 ft..... .40 3.50

Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora standard

TREE HYDRANGEA

3 to 4 ft..... \$1.00 \$9.00

HYPERICUM—GOLDFLOWER

Hypericum moserianum, 2'

GOLDFLOWER

Large, waxy yellow flowers. July-August. Dainty, half-herbaceous, splendid mass plant.

12 to 15 in..... \$0.75 \$6.50

KOLKWITZIA—BEAUTY BUSH

Kolkwitzia amabilis, 4'-6'

BEAUTY BUSH

A beautiful shrub similar to the Weigela. Mass of pink flowers, early May.

12 to 18 in..... \$0.50
18 to 24 in..... .75



BEFORE AND AFTER PLANTING
From desolation this little house was changed to a home within a beautiful garden by means of trees and plants.



LIGUSTRUM—PRIVET

Ligustrum ovalifolium variegatum, 8'-9'

GOLDEN CALIFORNIA PRIVET

12 to 15 in..... \$0.30 \$2.00
15 to 18 in..... .40 3.00
18 to 24 in..... .50 4.00

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LONICERA—HONEYSUCKLE

Lonicera fragrantissima, 6'-8' WINTER HONEYSUCKLE
Fragrant white flower, April-May. Half-evergreen.

| | Each | Per 10 |
|------------|------|--------|
| 2 to 3 ft. | | \$0.40 |

Lonicera tatarica, 9'-10' TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE
Pink, red and white. Flowers and fruit freely produced.
A most adaptable shrub.

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| 2 to 3 ft. | | \$0.40 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | | .50 |

PHILADELPHUS—MOCKORANGE

Philadelphus coronarius, 9'-10' SWEET MOCKORANGE
White fragrant flowers profusely borne in May-June.

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| 2 to 3 ft. | \$0.40 | \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | .50 | 4.00 |

Philadelphus coronarius aureus, 4'-5' GOLDEN MOCKORANGE
Dwarf, compact form. Yellow leaves.

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| 15 to 18 in. | \$0.50 |
| 18 to 24 in. | .60 |

Philadelphus virginalis, 7'-8' VIRGINAL MOCKORANGE
Beautiful semi-double flowers produced intermittently all summer.

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| 18 to 24 in. | \$0.40 | \$3.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft. | .50 | 4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | .60 | 5.00 |

PHYSOCARPUS—NINEBARK

Physocarpus opulifolius, 9'-10' NINEBARK
Creamy white, June. Vigorous. Good for shade.

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| 3 to 4 ft. | \$0.50 |
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PRUNUS—ALMOND

Prunus glandulosa, 5'-6' FLOWERING ALMOND
Flowers double, May. Very showy, there are Pink and White varieties.

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| 18 to 24 in. | \$0.50 |
| 2 to 3 ft. | .60 |

RHODOTYPOS—JETBEAD

Rhodotypos kerrioides, 4'-5' JETBEAD
Fresh green foliage, pure white flowers, May-June. Shining black bead-like berries all winter.

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| 2 to 3 ft. | \$0.40 |
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RHUS—SUMAC

Rhus canadensis, 4'-5' FRAGRANT SUMAC
Clusters of small yellow flowers, April-May. Most attractive in June when covered with coral-red fruits. Withstands drought. Aromatic foliage.

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| 2 to 3 ft. | \$0.75 |
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Rhus cotinus, 10'-12' SMOKETREE
Also called Purple Fringe.

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| 2 to 3 ft. | \$1.00 |
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SPIRAEA—SPIREA

Spiraea bumalda, anthony waterer, 3' ANTHONY WATERER SPIREA

Deep rose pink; very free flowering all summer.

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| 9 to 12 in. | \$0.20 | \$1.50 |
| 12 to 15 in. | .30 | 2.00 |
| 15 to 18 in. | .40 | 3.00 |
| 18 to 24 in. | .50 | 4.00 |

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Spiraea prunifolia, 7'-8'

BRIDALWREATH

| | White, May. Free flowering; handsome dark green shining foliage, turning orange in autumn. Each | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|------------------|---|--------|---------|
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.30 | \$2.00 | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .40 | 3.00 | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 | 4.00 | |

Spiraea thunbergi, 4'-5'

THUNBERG SPIREA

| | Slender, arching branches clothed with pure-white flowers, April-May. Small, feathery, light-green leaves. | 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.30 | \$2.00 |
|-----------------|--|------------------|--------|--------|
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | .40 | 3.00 | | |
| 2½ to 3 ft..... | .50 | 4.00 | | |

Spiraea vanhouttei, 8'-9'

VANHOUTTE SPIREA

| | White, May-June. Graceful habit. Extremely free-flowering and very adaptable. | 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.25 | \$1.50 |
|----------------|---|------------------|--------|--------|
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .35 | 2.50 | | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .40 | 3.00 | | |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | .50 | 4.00 | | |

SYMPHORICARPOS—SNOWBERRY

Symporicarpos racemosus, 5'-6'

SNOWBERRY

| | Conspicuous, white berries, attractive foliage. Most adaptable, but best in half shady, moist locations. | 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 | \$3.00 |
|----------------|--|----------------|--------|--------|
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 | 4.00 | | |

Symporicarpos vulgaris, 4'-5'

CORALBERRY

| | Coral red berries persisting throughout winter. Good for shade, and bank planting. | 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.25 | \$2.00 | \$15.00 |
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| 2 to 3 ft..... | .35 | 2.50 | | | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .45 | 3.50 | | | |

SYRINGA—LILAC

FRENCH LILACS—NAMED VARIETIES

These are all grown from cuttings and are on their own roots, which is the best way Lilacs can be grown, as they will not sucker. These named Lilacs generally grow from 6 to 12 ft. in height, depending on the variety and locality.

Charles the Tenth, reddish purple, single

Ludwig Spaeth, single reddish purple

Marie LeGraye, single white

Michel Buchner, double lilac

Mme. Lemoine, double white

President Grevy, double blue

Red Marly, single light blue

William Robinson, double violet pink

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| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.90 | \$8.00 |
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| 3 to 4 ft..... | 1.20 | 10.00 |
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Partial view of planting of Dr. D. H. Anderson, Ephrata, Pa.

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TAMARIX

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| <i>Tamarix africana</i> , 12'-14' | AFRICAN TAMARIX |
| Pink, April-May. Has feathery, gray-green foliage. Very effective near water. | Each Per 10 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$0.50 |

VIBURNUM

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| <i>Viburnum americanum</i> , 8'-9' | AMERICAN CRANBERRYBUSH |
| Bright scarlet berries in large bunches, persisting all winter. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| <i>Viburnum carlesii</i> , 4' | FRAGRANT VIBURNUM |
| One of the most desirable semi-dwarf flowering shrubs with wonderfully fragrant flower clusters of white shaded with pink. Foliage nice green. | |
| 12 to 15 in..... | \$2.00 |
| <i>Viburnum cassinoides</i> , 5'-6' | WITHE-ROD |
| White, June-July. Berries pink, changing to dark blue. Rich autumn coloring; splendid for massing and near water. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.75 |
| <i>Viburnum dentatum</i> , 10'-12' | ARROWWOOD |
| White, May-June. Berries blue-black, autumn coloring purple and red; thrives in wet soil. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.50 |
| <i>Viburnum opulus</i> , 9'-10' | EUROPEAN CRANBERRYBUSH |
| Berries resemble the cranberry very much, cling to branches all winter. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.50 \$4.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .60 5.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .75 |
| <i>Viburnum rhytidophyllum</i> , 6'-8' | LEATHERLEAF VIBURNUM |
| Evergreen. Large, oblong leaves, deep green above, gray beneath; a bold, handsome shrub. | |
| 15 to 18 in..... | \$1.25 |
| <i>Viburnum tomentosum plicatum</i> , 7'-8' | JAPANESE SNOWBALL |
| Showy white flowers in balls, June. Handsome foliage with purple autumn coloring. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.50 \$4.00 |
| 2 to 2½ ft..... | .75 6.00 |

WEIGELA

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| <i>Weigela amabilis</i> , 7'-8' | ROSE WEIGELA |
| Light Pink. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| <i>Weigela Eva Rathke</i> , 4'-5' | RED FLOWERED WEIGELA |
| Carmine, June-August. Most floriferous. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.40 \$3.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .50 4.00 |
| <i>Weigela nana variegata</i> , 4'-5' | VARIEGATED LEAF WEIGELA |
| Pale pink flower; variegated leaves; dwarf, compact growth. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$0.30 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .40 |
| <i>Weigela rosea</i> , 7'-8' | PINK WEIGELA |
| Showy, pink flowers freely produced, June. Vigorous grower. | |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | \$0.40 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .50 |

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SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES

ACER—MAPLE

Acer dasycarpum, 60'-80' SILVER MAPLE

Quick growing, graceful shade tree; leaves silvery underneath. Each Per 10

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|---------|
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1½ in. cal. | \$1.25 | \$10.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 1.75 | 15.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 2.00 | 17.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal. | 2.75 | 25.00 |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2 to 2½ in. cal. | 4.00 | |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2½ to 3 in. cal. | 7.00 | |
| 14 to 16 ft., 3 to 4 in. cal. | 8.50 | |

Acer dasycarpum wieri, 60'-80' WIER MAPLE

Graceful, drooping form; delicately cut leaves; very desirable. 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1½ in. cal. \$1.75

Acer palmatum atropurpureum, 6'-8'

BLOODLEAF JAPANESE MAPLE

A good dwarf tree with rich purple-red leaves all summer. Best in sun.

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| 9 to 12 in. | \$2.25 |
| 12 to 15 in. | 2.75 |
| 15 to 18 in. | 3.75 |

Acer palmatum atropurpureum dissectum, 4'-6'

PURPLE CUTLEAF JAPANESE MAPLE

More dwarf than the above with finely cut purple-red leaves, giving the plant a very graceful appearance. Good for rock work.

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| 12 to 15 in. | \$4.00 |
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Acer platanoides, 50'-75'

NORWAY MAPLE

The most popular street tree; retains its green leaves until late autumn.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$1.75 | \$16.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | 2.75 | 25.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 3.75 | 35.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 4.75 | 45.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal. | 6.00 | 57.50 |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2 to 2½ in. cal. | 7.50 | |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2½ to 3 in. cal. | 9.00 | |

Acer platanoides schwedleri, 40'-60'

SCHWEDLER PURPLE LEAF MAPLE

Probably the best large growing purple leaf tree. Useful as lawn specimen.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$3.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | 4.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 6.00 |

Acer saccharum, 50'-75'

SUGAR MAPLE

Similar to Norway Maple, taller, growing straight, spreading, symmetrical.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$1.75 | \$15.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | 2.75 | 25.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 3.75 | 35.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 5.00 | 45.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal. | 7.00 | |

BETULA—BIRCH

Betula alba, 30'-50'

EUROPEAN WHITE BIRCH

Known by its white bark.

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| 5 to 6 ft. | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |
| 6 to 8 ft. | 1.50 | 12.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft. | 2.00 | 17.50 |

Betula alba lacinata, 30'-40' CUTLEAF WEEPING BIRCH

Excellent tree for lawn planting. Very graceful.

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| 4 to 5 ft. | \$1.75 | \$15.00 |
| 5 to 6 ft. | 2.25 | 20.00 |
| 6 to 8 ft. | 2.75 | 25.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft. | 3.00 | 27.50 |

Figures at right of scientific name denote ultimate height.

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CATALPA

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| <i>Catalpa bignonioides nana</i> , 10'-15' | UMBRELLA CATALPA |
| Useful in formal planting. | Each Per 10 |
| Light Heads, 5 to 6 ft. | \$1.00 \$ 7.50 |
| Medium Heads, 5 to 6 ft. | 1.25 10.00 |
| Large Heads, 5 to 6 ft. | 2.50 20.00 |

CERCIS—REDBUD

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| <i>Cercis canadensis</i> , 12'-15' | AMERICAN REDBUD |
| Rosy-Pink; April; very effective when planted with Dogwood; good foliage. Also called Judas Tree. | |
| 3 to 4 ft. | \$0.80 \$7.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft. | 1.00 9.00 |



Pfitzer Juniper

CORNUS—DOGWOOD

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| <i>Cornus florida</i> , 15'-25' | WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD |
| Among the best of the spring flowering small trees. | |
| 3 to 4 ft. | \$1.50 \$12.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft. | 2.00 17.50 |
| 5 to 6 ft. | 2.75 25.00 |
| 6 to 8 ft. | 4.50 |

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| <i>Cornus florida rubra</i> , 15'-20' | RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD |
| The pink flowers are more persistent than the white. | |
| 18 to 24 in. | \$2.50 \$20.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft. | 3.00 25.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | 4.50 40.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft. | 7.50 70.00 |

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| <i>Cornus kousa</i> , 16'-18' | KOUSA DOGWOOD |
| White flowers in June. Conspicuous cherry-like scarlet fruits, attractive to birds. | |
| 18 to 24 in. | \$1.00 \$ 7.50 |
| 2 to 3 ft. | 1.25 10.00 |

CRATAEGUS—HAWTHORN

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| <i>Crataegus oxyacantha pauli</i> , 12'-15' | PAUL ENGLISH HAWTHORN |
| Double scarlet flowers. | |
| 2 to 3 ft. | \$1.50 \$10.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | 2.00 15.00 |

FAGUS—BEECH

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| <i>Fagus americana</i> , 75'-100' | AMERICAN BEECH |
| One of our best native trees; distinctive silver-gray bark. | |
| 4 to 5 ft. | \$3.00 |

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Outdoor Living Room on property of H. W. Hottenstein, East Petersburg, Pa.
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2—*Moss Retinospora*
3—*Umbrella Arborvitae*

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*Part of Foundation Planting
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Arborvitae
2-2½", \$1.50 \$3.00
 - 5-2 Spiny Greek
Juniper
15-18", \$2.00 \$4.00

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FRAXINUS—ASH

| | |
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| <i>Fraxinus americana</i> , 70'-80' | WHITE ASH |
| Fairly rapid grower; assumes pleasing golden tones in autumn; good in moist soils. | Each Per 10 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1½ in. cal..... | \$2.00 \$17.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 2 in. cal..... | 2.50 22.50 |

GINKGO—MAIDENHAIR-TREE

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| <i>Ginkgo biloba</i> , 50'-75' | MAIDENHAIR-TREE |
| Picturesque, interesting, quite distinct leaves shaped like maidenhair fern; immune from insects. | |
| 8 to 10 ft..... | \$4.00 |

LIRIODENDRON—TULIPTREE

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| <i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i> , 60'-80' | TULIPTREE |
| A quick grower; the yellow tulip-like flowers are produced in June. | |
| 8 to 10 ft..... | \$2.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 2 in. cal..... | 3.00 |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2 to 2½ in. cal..... | 4.00 |

MAGNOLIA

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| <i>Magnolia soulangeana</i> , 15'-18' | SAUCER MAGNOLIA |
| Large purplish-pink and white flowers in May. Best transplanted in early spring. | |
| 18 to 24 in..... | \$4.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | 6.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | 10.00 |

MALUS—CRAB

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| <i>Malus ioensis plena</i> , 10'-15' | BECHTEL CRAB |
| Large double pure pink flowers with noticeable fragrance; vigorous grower. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$1.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 1.50 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 2.00 |

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| <i>Malus sargentii</i> | SARGENT CRAB |
| Very dwarf spreading variety. Pale straw-color flowers with bright yellow anthers; scarlet fruit hanging until spring. | |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | \$2.00 |

MORUS—MULBERRY

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| <i>Morus alba pendula</i> , 8'-10' | WEEPING MULBERRY |
| The most popular small "weeping" tree. | |
| Medium Heads..... | \$1.50 |
| Large Heads..... | 2.00 |
| Extra Large Heads..... | 3.00 |

PLATANUS—PLANETREE

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| <i>Platanus orientalis</i> , 70'-80' | EUROPEAN PLANETREE |
| A good tree for park and street use; grows rather quickly; withstands smoky city conditions. | |
| 6 to 8 ft..... | \$1.25 \$10.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal..... | 2.00 17.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1¼ to 1½ in. cal..... | 2.50 22.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal..... | 3.00 27.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal..... | 4.00 37.50 |

POPULUS—POPLAR

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| <i>Populus nigra italicica</i> , 60'-80' | LOMBARDY POPLAR |
| Tall spire-like character; valued for landscape work and screens. | |
| 8 to 10 ft..... | \$0.85 \$6.50 |
| <i>Populus simoni</i> , 25'-30' | SIMON POPLAR |
| Hardy tree with good foliage; upright growth. | |
| 6 to 8 ft..... | \$0.75 \$6.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft..... | 1.00 7.50 |

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PRUNUS—JAP. FLOWERING CHERRY

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| <i>Prunus aequin. rosea</i> | BENI HIGAN CHERRY |
| Large pink flowers, early. | Each |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$1.75 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 2.75 |
| <i>Prunus lannesiana erecta</i> | AMANOGAWA CHERRY |
| Fragrant pale pink flowers. Upright growth, moderate size. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$1.75 |
| <i>Prunus lannesiana sirotae</i> | MT. FUGI CHERRY |
| Pure white; double flowers. | |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | \$2.25 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 3.00 |
| <i>Prunus serrulata sekiyama</i> | KWANZAN CHERRY |
| Double dark pink, late. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$1.75 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | 2.75 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 3.50 |
| <i>Prunus sieboldi</i> (Naden) | SIEBOLD CHERRY |
| Small tree, very showy. Abundant pale pink blossoms, fairly large, mid-April. | |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | \$2.75 |
| <i>Prunus subhirtella pendula</i> | WEEPING JAP. CHERRY |
| A most beautiful and graceful tree, covered with single pink blossoms in early spring. | |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | \$3.00 |

PRUNUS—PLUM

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| <i>Prunus cerasifera pissardi</i> , 12'-15' | PURPLELEAF PLUM |
| Valued chiefly because of purplish foliage; should be pruned every year for best color effect. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$0.60 |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | .75 |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | 1.00 |
| <i>Prunus triloba plena</i> , 7'-8' | DOUBLE FLOWERING PLUM |
| Double pink flowers, April-May. Handsome and useful. | |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | \$1.00 |
| <i>Prunus cistena</i> , 5'-6' | HANSEN'S PURPLE LEAVED PLUM |
| A dwarf, hardy variety with rich purple-red foliage. | |
| 4 to 5 ft..... | \$1.00 |

QUERCUS—OAK

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| <i>Quercus palustris</i> , 75'-90' | PIN OAK |
| Takes most kindly to cultivation; prefers moist soil, but is very adaptable. Particularly fitting as a street tree; good autumn effects. | |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal..... | \$4.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1¼ to 1½ in. cal..... | 5.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal..... | 6.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal..... | 8.00 |
| <i>Quercus rubra</i> , 75'-90' | RED OAK |
| Comparatively quick growth; rich autumn coloring in greens and reds. | |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal..... | \$4.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1¼ to 1½ in. cal..... | 5.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal..... | 6.50 |

SALIX—WILLOW

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| <i>Salix babylonica</i> , 50'-60' | BABYLON WEEPING WILLOW |
| Particularly appropriate for waterside planting with its long pendulous branches. | |
| 5 to 6 ft..... | \$1.00 |
| 6 to 8 ft..... | 1.25 |
| 8 to 10 ft..... | 1.75 |
| <i>Salix caprea</i> (bush form), 15'-20' | PUSSY WILLOW |
| Very desirable for spring effects. Will do well on dry as well as wet places. | |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | \$0.60 |

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SORBUS—ASH

Sorbus aucuparia, 25'-30' EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN-ASH

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| A valuable tree on a small lawn; the scarlet berries are quite striking. | Each | Per 10 |
| 5 to 6 ft. | \$1.00 | \$8.50 |
| 6 to 8 ft. | 1.25 | 10.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1½ in. cal. | 1.75 | 15.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 2.25 | 20.00 |

TILIA—LINDEN

Tilia americana, 75'-90' AMERICAN LINDEN

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| Grows rather quickly, forming an open head. Has fragrant yellow flowers. | |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | \$3.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 4.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 5.00 |

Tilia vulgaris, 60'-70' EUROPEAN LINDEN

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| Leaves smaller than American Linden. In late June the fragrant flowers are noticeable, grows symmetrical and compact. | |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | \$4.50 |

ULMUS—ELM

Ulmus americana, 80'-100' AMERICAN ELM

Stateliness and dignity are here exemplified. Fairly rapid in growth, this typical American tree soon assumes regal proportions and commands respect of all who look upon it.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$1.00 | \$7.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. cal. | 1.25 | 10.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 1.75 | 15.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1½ to 1¾ in. cal. | 2.50 | 22.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft., 1¾ to 2 in. cal. | 3.50 | 30.00 |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2 to 2½ in. cal. | 5.50 | 45.00 |
| 12 to 14 ft., 2½ to 3 in. cal. | 8.00 | 70.00 |
| 14 to 16 ft., 3 to 4 in. cal. | 10.00 | |

Ulmus americana molinieri, 80'-100' MOLINE ELM

A remarkable new variety of exceptionally strong growth and large handsome deep grain foliage. Very desirable.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$1.25 | \$10.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft., 1 to 1¼ in. | 1.75 | 15.00 |

Ulmus glabra camperdownii, 10'-12' CAMPERDOWN WEEPING ELM

Unique tree, drooping branches.

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| 5 to 6 ft., 2 yr. heads | \$4.00 |
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Ulmus parvifolia, 80'-100' CHINESE ELM

Beautiful, fast grower, hardy.

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| 6 to 8 ft. | \$1.50 | \$12.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft. | 2.00 | 17.50 |

HEDGE PLANTS

BERBERIS—BARBERRY

Berberis thunbergii, 4'-5' JAPANESE BARBERRY

A splendid low hedge plant, or for massing; brilliant autumn coloring; scarlet berries.

| | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|--------------|--------|---------|
| 9 to 12 in. | \$1.00 | \$8.00 |
| 12 to 15 in. | 1.25 | 10.00 |
| 15 to 18 in. | 1.50 | 12.50 |
| 18 to 24 in. | 2.00 | 15.00 |

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LIGUSTRUM—PRIVET

Ligustrum ovalifolium, 9'-10'

CALIFORNIA PRIVET

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To find the exact number wanted, measure the space where it is to be planted and multiply the number of feet by two. They should be planted 3 inches deeper than they stood in the nursery row. Set the plants 6 inches apart in the row. Dip the roots in water before planting. After plants are set, cut them down to 4 inches from the surface of the ground. This will cause a thick new growth to start and is very essential for a beautiful hedge.

When cutting, each time allow about 1 to 2 inches above where it was cut before, until you get the height desired.

Two-year-cut back and well branched. Will give immediate effect.

| | Per 100 | Per 1000 |
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| 18 to 24 in..... | \$3.00 | \$25.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | 3.50 | 30.00 |

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Radiance. Lovely light silvery pink flowers, with beautiful suffusion of deeper color. It may be relied upon to produce flowers under all conditions.

Red Radiance. A deep red, with great globular flowers. Blooms until frost.

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Plant 1 Canna in the center, 6 in the first circle, 12 in the second circle, then 18, 24, etc., according to the size of the bed, with the circles 18 inches apart, and the plants in the circle 18 inches apart. A bed 4 feet in diameter takes 7 Cannas; a 7-foot bed, 19 Cannas; a 10-foot bed, 37 Cannas; a 16-foot bed, 91 Cannas.

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King Midas. 4 ft. Very large, beautifully formed, firm flowers of glittering golden yellow.

Victory. 3 ft. The throat of the flower is glowing apricot which shades to a suffusion of pinkish-buff or summer sunset tints over the petals, finally edging off to a distinct border of maize-yellow. Flowers are medium in size.

Canna Prices

| | Per 10 | Per 100 |
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| Canna Prices..... | \$1.00 | \$8.00 |
| Potted Plants (ready May 1)..... | 1.50 | 12.50 |



Rock Garden Planting, arranged by our Landscape Department.

DWARF EVERGREENS TO BE USED INSIDE ROCK GARDEN

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| Dwarf Japanese Yew | Rock Cotoneaster |
| Mugho Pine | Sargent Juniper |
| | Rose Daphne |

These should be kept pruned:

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| Amoena Azalea | Hinodegiri Azalea |
| | Wintergreen Barberry |

Other varieties which are odd-shaped may be used. (We can sell these at lower prices.)

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| White Flowering Dogwood | African Tamarix |
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| * <i>Alyssum saxatile compactum</i> (Rock Madwort) | DWARF GOLDENTUFT |
| Masses of bright yellow flowers in early spring. Per 3 | Per 10 |
| Excellent plant for the rockery or borders..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
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| Pink or White..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
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| Hybrid varieties of very vigorous growth, producing many-branched, feathered heads of flowers in June and July. They prefer a half-shady, moist position in any ordinary garden soil..... | \$0.50 \$4.00 |
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| Various colors..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
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| White, July-September..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
| <i>Coreopsis</i> , 2' | COREOPSIS |
| Large, yellow flowers, fine for cutting..... | \$0.45 \$1.00 |
| <i>Delphinium belladonna</i> , 2½' | LARKSPUR |
| Light blue, June-October. They are our best blue cut flower, are perfectly hardy, and established plants produce a number of spikes, giving three crops during the season..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
| <i>Delphinium bellulosum</i> | LARKSPUR |
| A dark blue of the type of Belladonna with the color of the old Formosum variety, but not liable to mildew like the latter and of stronger growth..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
| * <i>Dianthus barbatus</i> , 1½' | SWEET-WILLIAM |
| Double flower, May-June..... | \$0.45 \$1.00 |
| <i>Dianthus caryophyllus</i> | (Hardy) CARNATION |
| Assorted colors..... | \$0.75 \$2.00 |
| * <i>Dianthus plumarius</i> , 1' | GRASS PINK |
| Pink, purplish and white, fragrant flowers and on long spikes. For border or rock garden..... | \$0.45 \$1.00 |
| <i>Dicentra spectabilis</i> , 2' | BLEEDING HEART |
| Pink and white, May-June..... | \$1.00 \$3.00 |
| * <i>Dictamnus albus</i> , 2½' | GASPLANT |
| White, June-July. The Dictamnus is one of the most satisfactory hardy plants in cultivation, both on account of splendid flowers and its rich, durable foliage. | |
| 3-yr..... | \$1.25 \$3.00 |
| * <i>Dictamnus albus ruber</i> . | PURPLE GASPLANT |
| Rosy-purple, June-July..... | \$1.25 \$3.00 |
| <i>Digitalis purpurea gloxiniaeflora</i> , 3'-4' | GLOXINIA FOXGLOVE |
| | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
| <i>Gaillardia</i> | GAILLARDIA |
| Large-flowering..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 |
| <i>Gypsophyla paniculata</i> , 2' | BABY'S BREATH |
| Compact white, fine for cutting and drying.. | \$0.45 \$1.00 |

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| <i>Hibiscus</i> , 4' | MALLOW MARVELS | | |
| A robust type of upright habit, producing an abundance of flowers of enormous size in all the richest shades of crimson, Pink and white..... | Per 3 Per 10 \$0.75 \$2.00 | | |
| * <i>Iberis gibraltarica</i> , 1' | GIBRALTAR CANDYTUFT | | |
| Reddish purple flowers; fine for rockery..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Iris germanica</i> , 1½'-3' | GERMAN IRIS | | |
| Assorted colors..... | \$0.30 \$0.75 | | |
| <i>Iris kaempferi</i> , 1½'-3' | JAPANESE IRIS | | |
| Assorted colors..... | \$0.90 \$2.00 | | |
| * <i>Iris pumila</i> | DWARF IRIS | | |
| Dark blue..... | \$0.45 \$1.00 | | |
| <i>Kniphofia pfitzeri</i> (<i>Tritoma</i>), 2' | BONFIRE TORCHLILY | | |
| Rush-like foliage supports smooth thick flower stalks a yard long, with a single fiery cone at the top.... | \$0.75 \$2.00 | | |
| <i>Lespedeza formosa</i> , 3'-4' | PURPLE BUSH CLOVER | | |
| Rosy purple flower conspicuous in September. Attractive shrub..... | \$1.50 \$3.00 | | |
| <i>Lychnis Chalcedonica</i> , 3' | MALTESE CROSS | | |
| Heads of vivid scarlet flowers, blooming a long time. One of the brightest plants in the hardy border..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Myosotis scorpioides</i> | TRUE FORGET-ME-NOT | | |
| | \$0.75 \$2.00 | | |
| <i>Paeonia</i> | PEONY | | |
| <i>Paeonia Edulis Superba</i> . Soft pink, early. | | | |
| 3 to 5 eyes..... | \$1.25 \$4.00 | | |
| <i>Paeonia Felix Crousse</i> . Best brilliant red, midseason. | | | |
| 3 to 5 eyes..... | \$1.75 \$5.00 | | |
| <i>Paeonia Festiva Maxima</i> . The ideal white, carmine tipped. | | | |
| 3 to 5 eyes..... | \$1.00 \$2.50 | | |
| <i>Paeonia Francois Ortegat</i> . Semi-double, purplish-crimson. | | | |
| 3 to 5 eyes..... | \$1.50 \$4.00 | | |
| <i>Paeonia Officinalis Rubra</i> fl. pl. Very early double red. | | | |
| 3 to 5 eyes..... | \$2.50 \$7.00 | | |
| <i>Papaver Orientale</i> | ORIENTAL POPPY | | |
| Deep crimson, with black blotch on each petal. | \$0.75 \$2.00 | | |
| <i>Phlox decussata</i> | HARDY PHLOX | | |
| Perennial Phloxes succeed in almost any soil enriched with manure in the spring, and in hot weather an occasional soaking of water. If the first spikes of bloom are removed as soon as over, they will produce a second supply of flowers, continuing the display until late in autumn. | | | |
| <i>Phlox decussata Beacon</i> . Brilliant cherry-red. | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Phlox decussata Elizabeth Campbell</i> . Bright salmon-pink, with lighter shadings and dark red eye; one of the handsomest and most attractive..... | \$0.90 \$2.50 | | |
| <i>Phlox decussata Mrs. Jenkins</i> . Pure white. | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Phlox decussata Thor</i> . A beautiful lively shade of deep salmon-pink, suffused and overlaid with a scarlet glow; has aniline-red eye..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Phlox Suffruticosa Miss Lingard</i> . The best phlox in cultivation. It produces immense heads of beautiful white flowers in June and blooms again in September and October..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| <i>Phlox subulata</i> | MOSS PHLOX | | |
| * <i>Phlox subulata Alba</i> . Pure white..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| * <i>Phlox subulata Fairy</i> . Light lilac..... | .60 1.50 | | |
| * <i>Phlox subulata Rubra</i> | .60 1.50 | | |
| <i>Platycodon grandiflorum</i> | BALLOONFLOWER | | |
| 18 in. Blue, June to October. Large, showy, deep blue flowers, good for rock garden and border..... | \$0.60 \$1.50 | | |
| * <i>Primula</i> | PRIMROSE | | |
| Splendid little plants for naturalizing near shrubs, in the border, or shaded nooks on the rockery. | | | |
| Named varieties..... | \$0.90 \$2.50 | | |

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Our trucking equipment in readiness to make prompt delivery of your order.

**Sedum*

STONE CROP

Among the most "rocky" of all rock plants, successful everywhere if provided with sandy soil and full sun.

Each Per 10
Named varieties.....\$0.60 \$1.50

**Viola Admiratio*n

VARIEGATED TUFTED PANSY

Dark blue. The best edging plant for the hardy border or garden. Blooms continuously from May until October.\$0.60 \$1.50

ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINES

Ampelopsis quinquefolia, 30'-50'

VIRGINIA CREEPER

Valuable for rich, fiery autumn coloring. Quick grower.

2 to 3 ft.....\$0.25 \$2.00

Ampelopsis tricuspidata, 40'-50'

BOSTON IVY

Brilliant autumn coloring, blue berries, turning black; closely self clinging. Also called Japanese Creeper.

18 to 24 in.....\$0.50 \$4.50

Aristolochia siphon

DUTCHMAN'S PIPE

Flowers are purple, of quaint pipe shape. Large heart-shaped leaves. Good for porches.

2-yr., No. 1.....\$0.80 \$7.00

Bignonia radicans, 20'-30'

TRUMPET CREEPER

Showy trumpet-shaped flowers, scarlet and orange, July.

2 yr., No. 1.....\$0.40 \$3.00

Celastrus scandens, 20'-25'

AMERICAN BITTERSWEET

Most adaptable vine with orange and red berries that retain color when cut and dried.

2-yr., No. 1.....\$0.50 \$4.00

Clematis, Large Flowered Varieties, 10'-15'

CLEMATIS

Grand for pillars and trellises, pegged down for bedding and for running over rockwork, old trees and stumps. They delight in rich soil, and sun.

Clematis Henryi

HENRY CLEMATIS

Creamy white.....\$0.75 \$7.00

Clematis Jackmani

JACKMAN CLEMATIS

Velvety, violet-purple.....\$0.75 \$7.00

Clematis Mad. Ed. Andre

MAD. ED. ANDRE CLEMATIS

A distinct crimson-red.....\$0.75 \$7.00

Clematis Paniculata, 20'-25'

SWEET AUTUMN CLEMATIS

The flowers are of medium size, fragrant, pure white, borne in immense sheets in September.....\$0.35 \$3.00

Euonymus radicans variegatus, 12"-15"

VARIEGATED LEAF WINTERCREEPER

Leaves veined and marked yellowish white and pink. Clinging vine.

12 to 15 in.....\$0.50 \$4.00

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Euonymus radicans vegetus, 3'-4'

BIGLEAF WINTERCREEPER

| | | |
|---|--------|--------|
| Bushy, interesting growth. Leaves round, dull green. Bright scarlet fruits, freely produced. Handsome among evergreens. Also called Evergreen Bittersweet. Each | Per 10 | |
| 9 to 12 in..... | \$0.50 | \$4.00 |
| 12 to 15 in..... | .60 | 5.00 |

Hedera helix, 20'-50'

ENGLISH IVY

| | | |
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| Good ground cover in shady locations. An ideal wall cover. | | |
| 3-in. pots..... | \$0.25 | \$2.00 |
| 4-in. pots..... | .50 | 4.00 |

Lonicera japonica halliana, 15'-25'

HALL JAPANESE HONEYSUCKLE

| | | |
|---|--------|--------|
| Grows rampantly. Blooms freely, deliciously fragrant. | | |
| 2-yr., No. 1..... | \$0.35 | \$3.00 |

Polygonum auberti

CHINA FLEECEVINE

| | | |
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| Climbing plant of vigorous growth attaining a height of 25 feet and producing through summer and fall great foamy sprays of white flowers. | | |
| 2-yr., No. 1..... | \$0.75 | \$7.00 |

Wisteria sinensis, 40'-50'

CHINESE WISTERIA

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| Good for pergolas, porches and trellises; dense drooping clusters of pea-shaped purple-blue flowers. | | |
| 2 yr. Grafts..... | \$0.75 | \$7.00 |

Wisteria sinensis alba, 40'-50'

CHINESE WHITE WISTERIA

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| 2 yr. Grafts..... | \$0.75 | \$7.00 |
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APPLES

Apple trees should be set 32 to 40 feet apart.

Fillers. Most commercial orchards are now planted with standard varieties, 40 feet apart each way. Quick, upright growing, early maturing varieties are used as fillers, planting between standards to make 20 ft. apart; fillers to be removed when the standard trees require the room (12 to 18 years). This requires 28 standard and 82 fillers to the acre. **We recommend for fillers:** Yellow Transparent, Oldenburg, Grimes Golden, McIntosh and Wealthy, or peach trees.

PRICE OF APPLES—2-YEAR

| | Per Each | Per 10 | Per 100 | Per 1000 |
|--|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|
| 5 to 6 ft., $\frac{1}{16}$ in. cal. and up.... | \$0.65 | \$5.00 | \$30.00 | \$250.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{11}{16}$ in. cal..... | .50 | 4.00 | 25.00 | 200.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal..... | .40 | 3.00 | 20.00 | 150.00 |

PRICE OF APPLES—1-YEAR

| | Per Each | Per 10 | Per 100 | Per 1000 |
|----------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|
| 4 to 5 ft..... | \$0.40 | \$3.00 | \$22.50 | \$200.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft..... | .35 | 2.50 | 17.50 | 150.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .25 | 2.00 | 15.00 | 125.00 |

SUMMER APPLES

Benoni. Attractive, red, best eating apple of its season. Early bearer and very productive.

Early Harvest. Medium, pale yellow, tender, juicy.

Oldenburg (Duchess of Oldenburg). Good size, yellow, streaked red, juicy, sub-acid, productive.

Summer Rambo. Very large; flesh yellow, firm, tender, very juicy, mild sub-acid.

Red Astrachan. Large, beautiful deep crimson. A favorite eating and cooking apple.

Yellow Transparent. Earliest and best; white, tender, juicy, sprightly, sub-acid. Grows rapidly, bears young, and makes a profitable "filler."

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AUTUMN APPLES

Gravenstein. Large striped, fine quality, one of the best fall sorts.

Maiden Blush. Large, beautiful, blush cheek.

Smokehouse. An old favorite, originated in Lancaster Co., Pa.

Wealthy. Medium size, smooth, round, deep red; handsome and of fine quality.

WINTER APPLES

Baldwin. Red, large, fine quality, tree vigorous.

Winter Banana. Size large, golden yellow with bright crimson red.

Cortland. This is a promising new variety originated at the Horticultural Experimental Farms, Geneva, N. Y. The fruit is medium to large in size, of a bright red color. Flesh is pure white.

Delicious. Red and yellow; fine grained, and quite juicy; flavor slightly acid, but very good.

Falawater (sometimes called **Pound Apple**). Large; yellowish green fruit.

Grimes Golden. No orchard complete without it. Yellow, best quality and productive. For either home or market for this season there is nothing better.

Hubbardston. Large, red, striped, tender, juicy.

Jonathan. Medium; red, extra quality.

McIntosh. Large, deep crimson, highest quality, juicy, sub-acid.

Paradise Winter Sweet. Large; creamy, rosy-cheeked.

Rome Beauty. Large, yellow, shaded red; tender, juicy, sub-acid.

Stark. Large, striped light and red, juicy, mild, sub-acid. An early and abundant bearer, good keeper.

Stayman Winesap. Of the several important descendants of Winesap, this variety is leaping into prominence as a splendid sort for the home or commercial orchard. The tree is a sturdy grower and a very heavy producer. It is adapted to a wide range of soils and climates, thriving almost wherever planted. It runs to large sizes. The fruit is of deep red color, with firm flesh, tender, juicy, and the same rich flavor of the parent. We strongly recommend this variety for the home or commercial orchard.

York Imperial. Medium to large; yellow, shaded red; firm, juicy, sub-acid.

CRAB APPLES

Hyslop. Large; deep crimson; one of the most beautiful; very popular.

Transcendent. For many years the most popular crab apple. Fruit about an inch in diameter, yellow, with red cheek.

PEACHES

We are offering only a limited number of varieties, ones that you can depend on giving you a good crop of fruit. We do not think it worth while to propagate a large number of varieties, when a few of the best will make more money for our customers. The peach crop is quite sure if you give your trees proper attention.

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PRICE OF PEACHES

| | Each | Per 10 | Per 100 | Per 1000 |
|--|--------|--------|---------|----------|
| 5 to 7 ft., $\frac{11}{16}$ in. cal. and up.. | \$0.60 | \$5.00 | | |
| 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{11}{16}$ in. cal..... | .50 | 4.00 | \$17.50 | \$150.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft., $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal..... | .40 | 3.00 | 15.00 | 120.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{5}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{16}$ in. cal..... | .30 | 2.00 | 10.00 | 80.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft..... | .20 | 1.50 | 8.00 | 60.00 |

ARRANGED IN ORDER OF RIPENING

Greensboro. The very best extra early commercial sort. Hardy and productive, fruit large and tree healthy. Color white with crimson cheek.

Carman. White with red blush. Carman is extra hardy, bears every year, and when it fails all else fails too. Tree a very robust grower and produces heavily.

Hiley (Early Belle). The earliest commercial white free-stone peach. It resembles Belle of Georgia, but in quality is superior to most of its white-fleshed competitors. The pretty red cheek and good shipping qualities make it very popular for early market.

Champion. Large variety, creamy white, red cheek, sweet, rich and juicy. Hardy and productive.

Belle (Belle of Georgia). Very large; skin white with red cheek; flesh white, firm and of excellent flavor. Tree a rapid grower, very prolific.

Capt. Ede. A handsome yellow peach of excellent quality: hardy in bud and blossom.

J. H. Hale. Probably no new peach has ever been introduced claiming to be so much superior in all ways. It averages one-third to one-half larger than Elberta, ripens about five days earlier and is much superior in flavor. Color a beautiful golden-yellow with deep carmine blush.

Elberta. Large, yellow, with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, of high quality. Exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. The leading market variety.

Late Crawford. A superb, large, yellow peach.

Mathews (Dr. Funk's strain). Very similar to Elberta but of better quality.

Old Mixon Free. Large, pale yellow, deep red cheek, white flesh, tender, rich, good.

Stump. Large, white, bright red cheek.

Salway. A late yellow variety. Latter part of September.

Iron Mountain. Ripens September 15 to October 1. Fruit is of large size; color, white.

APRICOTS

| | Each | Per 10 |
|---|--------|--------|
| 4 to 6 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal. and up..... | \$0.85 | \$7.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal..... | .75 | 6.00 |

Early Golden. Small, pale orange, juicy and sweet.

Dallas. Fruit large, round, early, deep yellow with a fine blush; flesh yellow, firm, juicy and excellent. Tree hardy, a good grower.

Royal. Large, yellow, juicy, rich and delicious; a very fine variety.

CERRIES

| | Each | Per 10 |
|--|--------|--------|
| 5 to 7 ft., $\frac{11}{16}$ in. cal. and up..... | \$0.85 | \$7.50 |
| 4 to 6 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{11}{16}$ in. cal..... | .75 | 6.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal..... | .65 | 5.50 |

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SWEET CHERRIES

Bing. Very large, dark brown—almost black; flesh firm, sweet, rich and delicious. One of the most profitable sorts. July.

Black Tartarian. Very large, black, juicy. Last of June.

Gov. Wood. Large, light red, juicy, rich, delicious. Tree healthy and productive. June.

Napoleon. Large, pale yellow or red; firm, juicy, sweet and productive. July.

Schmidt. Immense size, deep black; flesh dark, tender, very juicy, fine flavor; productive. July.

Windsor. Fruit large, liver-colored, distinct; flesh remarkably firm and of fine quality. Tree hardy and prolific. A valuable late variety. July.

Yellow Spanish. Large, yellow and red. June.

SOUR CHERRIES

Early Richmond. Medium, dark red, melting, juicy, sprightly, rich acid.

English Morello. Fair size, blackish red, rich acid.

Montmorency. Large, deep cherry-red, very tender and juicy. It is the best variety for home and market. It ripens at the close of the Early Richmond season, and is of better size than that variety; more meaty and of richer flavor.

PEARS

| | Each | Per 10 |
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| 5 to 7 ft., $\frac{1}{16}$ in. cal., and up..... | \$0.85 | \$7.50 |
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| 4 to 6 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ in. cal..... | .75 | 6.50 |
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| Dwarf Pear, 4 to 5 ft., $\frac{5}{8}$ in. cal. and up..... | .75 | 6.50 |
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Bartlett. Season last of August to September 15th. Good strong grower, flesh is white, fine grained, luscious, large and buttery, has a rich melting flavor and very sweet.

Clapp's Favorite. Summer. Fruit large, yellow lemon color, spotted with brown dots; flesh fine, rich and sweet. A very good one.

Duchesse. Very large, buttery, rich, juicy, excellent. It succeeds to perfection and is the most popular market variety as a dwarf. Oct. and Nov.

Kieffer. Its large size, handsome appearance, and remarkable keeping and shipping qualities make it very profitable for market. Oct. and Nov.

Seckel. Small; skin rich yellowish brown when fully ripe, with deep brownish red cheek; flesh very fine-grained, sweet, exceedingly juicy, melting, buttery; one of the richest and highest flavored pears known. Sept. and Oct.

Sheldon. A large, round, russet and red pear of very fine quality; melting, rich, delicious. Tree vigorous, erect, handsome; bears well and should be more largely planted. October.

PLUMS

| | Each | Per 10 |
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|---|--------|--------|
| 5 to 7 ft., $\frac{1}{16}$ in. cal. and up..... | \$0.85 | \$7.50 |
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| 4 to 6 ft., $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ in. cal..... | .75 | 6.50 |
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| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ in. cal..... | .60 | 5.00 |
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Abundance. One of the oldest and best varieties; hardy, productive. Fruit large, lemon yellow, with heavy bloom; good quality. August.

Burbank. Most profitable among growers for market. Ripens 10 days after Abundance. Tree hardy.

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October Purple. A strong, vigorous grower, hardy, productive, of good quality, a large, round, late purple plum, especially recommended for late market.

Red June. One of the vigorous, upright growers; productive; fair size, vermillion red; pleasant quality. Ripens a week before Abundance. August.

Climax. One of the best of the large, early sweet plums, ripening ahead of other varieties, which makes it a very valuable market sort. July.

Gold. Large, oval, bright yellow; rich, juicy, fine quality. A good grower.

Bradshaw. A very large and fine early plum, dark violet-red, juicy and good. Very productive; valuable for market. The tree is very hardy and vigorous. Middle of August.

German Prune. Large, dark purple, sweet, good. One of the most popular for canning, because of its sweetness. September.

Italian Prune. Good size, purple, juicy, delicious, fine for drying. September.

Imperial Gage. Large, pale green, juicy, sweet, rich, and excellent. August.

Satsuma (Blood). Large, globular, with sharp point. Color, purple and red with blue bloom; flesh firm, juicy, dark red or blood color, fine quality; pit very small. Hardy and vigorous grower. August.

Q U I N C E S

| | Each | Per 10 |
|---|--------|--------|
| 4 to 5 ft., $\frac{5}{8}$ in. cal. and up..... | \$0.85 | \$7.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft., $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ in. cal..... | .75 | 6.50 |

Orange. Fruit large, bright yellow, of excellent quality.

Champion. A prolific and constant bearer of oval fruit, averaging larger than Orange and ripening later. Long keeper.

Meech Prolific. A vigorous grower and immensely productive of large, orange-yellow fruit of delightful flavor and fine cooking quality.

S M A L L F R U I T S

GRAPES (2 years)

| | Each | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|---|--------|--------|---------|
| Brighton. Red, high quality, large..... | \$0.25 | \$2.00 | \$15.00 |
| Concord. The leading black variety.... | .25 | 2.00 | 10.00 |
| Moore's Early. Good, early, black.... | .25 | 2.00 | 15.00 |
| Niagara. The standard white grape.... | .25 | 2.00 | 12.00 |
| Worden. Earlier than Concord, sweeter. | .25 | 2.00 | 12.00 |
| Caco. New, red..... | .75 | 6.00 | |

A S P A R A G U S

| Washington. The most popular variety. | Per 10 | Per 100 | Per 1000 |
|---------------------------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 2-year..... | \$0.25 | \$1.25 | \$10.00 |
| 1-year..... | .25 | 1.00 | 7.50 |

S T R A W B E R R I E S

| | Per | Per |
|---|--------|--------|
| | 100 | 1000 |
| Premier. One of the best, early, productive.... | \$1.25 | \$6.00 |
| Haverland. Light color, long berry..... | 1.25 | 6.00 |
| Big Joe. Large, medium late..... | 1.25 | 6.00 |
| Chesapeake. Large, late, good quality..... | 1.50 | 7.00 |

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RASPBERRIES

| | | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|--------------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Cuthbert. | Standard red..... | \$0.75 | \$3.00 |
| Latham. | New red..... | 1.00 | 5.00 |
| St. Regis. | Everbearing red..... | .75 | 3.00 |
| Cumberland. | Very profitable, black..... | .75 | 3.00 |
| Plum Farmer. | Black..... | .75 | 3.00 |

BLACKBERRIES

| | | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|-----------|----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Eldorado. | Hardy, vigorous, productive..... | \$0.75 | \$4.00 |
| Blowers. | Splendid new sort..... | .75 | 4.00 |

CURRANTS (2 years)

| | | Each | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|--------------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| Cherry | Large berries, short bunch..... | \$0.25 | \$2.00 | \$12.00 |
| Fays. | Old leading market variety..... | .25 | 2.00 | 12.00 |
| Wilder. | Better than Fays..... | .25 | 2.00 | 12.00 |
| White Grape. | Large, yellowish white.. | .25 | 2.00 | 12.00 |

GOOSEBERRIES (2 years)

| | | Each | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|-----------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| Downing. | Large, pale green, very good.. | \$0.25 | \$2.00 | \$15.00 |
| Houghton. | Medium, pale red, sweet... | .25 | 2.00 | 15.00 |

RHUBARB

| | | Each | Per 10 | Per 100 |
|-----------|------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| Linnaeus. | Old reliable kind..... | \$0.20 | \$1.50 | \$10.00 |

OLD ENGLISH

LAWN SEED

MAKES BETTER LAWNS!

You will agree that a lawn of rich velvet green adds much to the beauty of your home. There is something inviting in a stretch of even green.

You can enjoy the charm of such a lawn by using "Old English Lawn Seed" and giving it the proper attention. This mixture has been used for twenty years on many fine estates, golf courses and on government and city grounds.

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Prices

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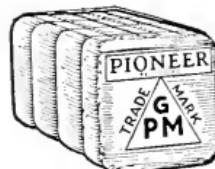
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PRICES

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PRICE

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| 5 lb. carton..... | \$1.75 |
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SOIL

Carefully selected top-soil, rich in plant food.

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| 500 lbs..... | 2.00 |
| 1000 lbs..... | 3.50 |
| 2000 lbs..... | 6.00 |

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PRICE

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| 100 lbs..... | \$ 2.00 |
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Prices

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100-lb. Bag (enough for
5,000 sq. ft.) 5.00

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A cozy nook—
China Fleecevine
in background.
Left to right:
Myrtle Kreider, J.
Clyde Root, Elvin
Kreider and
Marian H. Root.

SUCCESSFUL PLANTING AND CARE OF STOCK

CARE

The bundles should be opened immediately, the roots dipped in water, then heeled in moist ground so that the mellow earth will come in contact with the roots and thoroughly protect them from the air, having the earth tramped solid about them.

When ready to plant, take up only a few at a time, puddle the roots and do not allow them to lie exposed to the sun or air.

The ground should be carefully prepared by deep plowing and firming down with a disc and harrow.

PLANTING

The holes for planting must be large enough to receive the roots freely, without cramping or bending them from their natural position. All broken or mutilated portions of the roots must be cut off so as to leave the ends smooth and sound. All trees should be planted two or three inches deeper than they stood in the nursery row; *pack the soil very firmly about the roots by tamping with the feet or post tamper*, being careful not to bark or break the roots. Leave three inches of the surface soil loose to serve as a mulch. If the ground is very dry, apply one to two pails of water before this soil mulch is in place, and after the water has soaked away it can then be placed over the moist soil.

NUMBER OF TREES OR PLANTS TO THE ACRE

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| 40 feet apart each way..... | 28 |
| 30 feet apart each way..... | 48 |
| 20 feet apart each way..... | 110 |
| 18 feet apart each way..... | 135 |
| 15 feet apart each way..... | 205 |
| 12 feet apart each way..... | 300 |
| 10 feet apart each way..... | 435 |
| 8 feet apart each way..... | 680 |
| 6 feet apart each way..... | 1,210 |
| 5 feet apart each way..... | 1,745 |
| 4 feet apart each way..... | 2,725 |
| 3 feet apart each way..... | 4,840 |

Rule—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant, which, divided into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560), will give the number of plants or trees to the acre.

SUITABLE DISTANCE FOR PLANTING

Apples—30 to 40 feet apart each way.

Standard Pears and Cherries—20 feet apart each way.

Plums, Peaches and Apricots—16 to 18 feet apart each way.

Dwarf Pears and Quinces—10 to 12 feet apart each way.

Grapes—rows of 10 to 16 feet apart; 7 to 10 feet in rows.

Currants and Gooseberries—4 feet apart.

Raspberries and Blackberries—3 to 4 by 5 to 7 feet.

Strawberries, for field culture—1 by 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Strawberries, for garden culture—1 to 2 feet apart.

Asparagus, for field culture—18 to 24 inches by $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 feet.

Asparagus, for garden culture—18 to 24 inches apart each way.



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